# MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS.

# MASON VALLEY WILL HAVE BIG SMELTER

Expert Conducts Exhaustive Examination of Mine of Mason Valley Co. in Yerington District.

Reports will be received shortly by the Mason Valley Mining company from Jules Labarthe, manager of the Consolidated Mines Smelting compan of Trait, British Columbia, the larges of Trait, British Columbia, the larges smelter in Canada, and one of the most prominent metallurgists in this country. The report will deal with the smelter conditions, the advisability of building a plant and the best process to install for the treatment of the ore of the mine. Before leaving for his home Mr. Labarthe had the following to say:

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"Of course it would not do for me to give public utterance to my conclusions as to the expediency of erecting the contemplated plant, as I have not as yet even prepared my report to be given the Mason Valley people. I may state, however, that I find Nevada a resourceful state, rich in its mineral development and possibilities looking very encouraging.

"The great trouble lies, when considering such a big proposition, in the fact that the prevailing price of metal is not as high as it should be to open the way as it might to the construction of such a plant. Then again the cost of material, coal and everything else is so great here. These things enter largely into the question naturally."

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Asked as to the cost of the proposed project, he replied: "Well, the plant will involve an outlay of fully \$300,000 alone, to begin with. Nevada has much ore of a grade to be smelted, but then, I must not discuss this matter yet, until I return home and submit my report; then it will be more in place for me to talk. It is a big proposition and if it goes through, it will mean much for the state and western coast mining production."

It is understood from those claiming to know, that this smelter, if installed, will cost nearly half a million dollars when thoroughly equipped, according to the extensive plans contemplated.

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### ONLY ONE SESSION.

### Local Exchange Closes Until Next Monday-Trading Is Slow.

Monday—Trading Is Slow.

With but one session for today, the Salt Lake Stock and Mining exchange closed this morning for the Christmas hol/day and will not open again until Monday morning. Trading this morning was slow, although prices showed but little change. Colorado was strong at 72 and 73 cents, while Iron Blossom hung solidly around 70 cents. There was considerable activity in Grand Central with the price changing only slightly. The stock opened at \$2.45 and closed at \$2.4½. In all 1,800 shares were sold.

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The trading for the week was low and 334,651 shares were sold, the price paid being \$143,089.80.

Considerable activity was developed on the curb market this morning, and Opex Consolidated was the ruling feature. It was much lower than on yesterday and the 1,700 shares sold were disposed of at prices ranging from 33 cents to 36 cents.

Bingham Central Standard sold at 52 cents for a block of 1,000 shares Federal Ely was transferred in two 1,000-share blocks at 12½ cents. McDonald Ely was again active today and 500 shares were sold at 35 cents.

## FORENOON QUOTATIONS.

Listed Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax	.30	.36
Beck Tunnel		.15
Bingham Amalgamated		.12
Black Jack	.09	.10
Boston Con	21.00	
Bullock	.011/4	.01%
Carisa	.50	.51
Cedar	.041/2	.05
Cent Mam	.02	
Colorado	.73	.75
Columbus	1.40	1.421/4
Crown Point	.04%	.05
Daly Judge	4.75	5.00
East Crown Point	.001/6	.0114
East Tintic Con	.01	.02
East Tintic Dev	.07	.07%
East Tintle G. K		.0036
Ely Calumet	.25	.30
Grand Central	2.421/2	2.45
Tbex		.02
Indian Queen	.03	.031/2
Inter'l P. O. D	1.00	1.0234
Inyo	.06	1.0253
Iron Blossom	59	
Iron King Con	.12	.70
King William	-12	
Little Bell	*******	.18
	1.571/2	1.60
Little Chief	.65	
Mason Valley	.52	.53
May Day	.181/2	
Mineral Flat		
Mountain Lake		.05
Moscow		
Nevada British		.50
Nevada Hills	.65	.70
Newhouse	3.85	
New York	.14	.15
Ohlo Copper		5.85
Opohongo		.20
Plutus	.05	.051/2
Prince Consolidated		1.00
Provo	.07	.07%
Sacramento	.011/	
Silver King	1 3 75	3.90
Seven Troughs	. 0914	
Red Warrior	4.40	4.55
Sloux Consolidated	.3014	
South Columbus Con	. 0934	
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## MORNING METALS.

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS. LEAD, firm, - 4.67½@4.72½ COPPER, firm, - 13.20@13.40 SILVER, - 52%

Swansea Con		.05
Swansea Ext		.00%
Tintle Central	.0634	.07%
Tintic Empire		.02
Tintic Humboldt		.02
Uncle Sam	.47	-48
Utah Consolidated	.05%	.07
Victor Consolidated	.04	.0434
Victoria	1.65	1.75
Western Nevada	.21	.26
Western Utah		2.50
Yerington Copper	.031/2	.05

AFTERNOON SALES. Colorado, 400 at 73 seller 60. Columbus, 50 at 1.45; 500 at 1.42½. Crown Point, 2,000 at 4%; 200 at

5. E. Crown Point, 1,000 at 1.
Grand Central, 700 at 2.45; 400 at 2.42½; 200 at 2.42½, seller 80; 100 at 2.42½, seller 60; 200 at 2.45 buyer 60. 200 at 2.45½, buyer 60.
Indian Queen, 615 at 2½.
Iron Blossom, 700 at 70; 500 at 69, seller 60; 200 at 69.
Little Bell, 100 at 1.55; 400 at 1.57½.
Lower Mammoth, 100 at 54, buyer 60.

60.

Mason Valley, 50 at 2.00.

Moscow, 500 at 27½.

Plutus, 2,000 at 5; 2,000 at 5½;
1,000 at 5:.

Provo, 1,000 at 7¾.

Sloux Con., 100 at 31½; 200 at 31;
2,500 at 30½; 190 at 30, 500 at 31,
buyer 60.

2,500 at 30½; 190 at 30, 500 at 31, buyer 60. Tin Central 1,000 at 6¼; 1,000 at 6¾; 1,000 at 7; 500 at 7, seller 60. Uncle Sam, 1,000 at 47. Utah Con., 200 at 6.

OPEN BOARD.

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Bullock, 1,000 at 1%.

Bing, Amal., 500 at 10½.

Colorado, 600 at 73 selier 60; 600 at 72, seller 60.

Columbus, 400 at 1.45; 200 at 1.42½.

Cedar Talls, 800 at 4¼.

Tin. Dev., 500 at 7½.

Iron Blossom, 500 at 67.

Lower Mammoth, 1,500 at 52.

Provo, 500 at 7¼.

Sloux Con., 160 at 31, buyer 60; 500 at 30, seller 60.

Yerington, Cap., 500 at 4¼.

	TOTALS.	
Regular Open		Amount \$9,766.87 15,561.25
Weeks Tota	37,005	

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET. James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire this afternoon

COMSTOCK. COMSTOCK.

Ophir, 1.90@1.95; Mexican, 1.70@
1.72½; Gould & Curry, 30 bid; Con.
Va., 1.42½@1.45; Savage, 50 bid;
Hale & Norcross, 50@55; Yellow
Jacket, 1.15@1.50; Belcher, 1.02½
bid; Slerra Nevada, 55 bid; Exchequer,
30@32; Union, 86@88; Chollar, 28@
29.

Tonopah Extension, 70 asked; Tonopah North Star, 2 asked; West End Cons, 22 bid; Rescue, 2 asked; Jim Butler, 9@10.

## GOLDFIELD.

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Sandstorm, 4 bid; Col. Mt., 6 asked; Jumbo Ext., 13@14; Booth, 11 asked; Blue Bull, 3@4; Adams, 1 asked; Silver Pick, 8@10; Blue Bell, 2@3; St. Ives, 5 @8; Lone Star, 2@4; G. Wonder, 1 asked; Oro, 4 asked; Atlanta, 2@10; Gt. Bend, 2@3; Red Top Ext., 1 bid; Florence, 2.65 bid; D'field B. B. Cons., 1 asked; Goldfield Daisy, 9@10; Comb. Fraction, 42 bid; Gt. Bend Ext., 1 asked; Kewanos, 8@8; Portland, 1 bid; Crackerjack, 1 bid; F. Mohawk, 3 asked; Red Hills, 3@4; Y. Tiger, 3 bid; Grandma, 1 bid; Goldfield Con., 7.97½@8.05; D'field Triangle, 1 asked; Florence Exten, 2 asked.

BULLFROG.

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National Bank, 1 asked; Amethyst, 1 asked; Mayflower Cons., 1@2; Montgy. Mt., 2 bid; Homestake Cons., 1 asked; Tramp Cons., 4@5.

MANHATTAN. Manh. Cons. 3 bid; Dexter, 4 asked; Mineral Hill, 4 asked. OTHER DISTRICTS.

Fairview Eagle, 12@14; Pittsburg Sil. Peak, 84@86; Round Mountain, 56 bid; Rawhide Coalition, 21 bid.

## CONCENTRATES.

E. J. Raddatz has gone to East Tin-

Supt. B. L. Cutler of the St. George Copper company, operating at Dugway, arrived in the city yesterday. Charles Getsch, expert for the Wood-Hagenbarth interests, has just returned from a business trip through Nevada.

Leslie L. Savage has just returned from the Gold Circle mining district, where he is interested in some of the most promising properties there.

It is said that the Thor Mining com-pany in Big Cottonwood is getting some excellent results with its new tunnel and in following the vein there are ap-pearing bunches of ore carrying as high as 150 ounces in silver.

Sinking will start in the north shaft of the Iron Blossom mine shortly after the first of the year, it is understood. The shaft is to be sent 100 feet deeper and then a 200-foot drift will be sent out to catch the ore from the Sloux-Colorado vein which is dipping down.

Knight & Warnock have secured a contract for the entire output of the zinc from the Cedar-Talisman property in the Star district in Beaver county. A large part of the first 100-ton shipment has already been delivered at Milford. The ore runs as high as 40 per cent zinc.

Ralph R. Osborn, general manager of the Empire Copper company of Mackay, Ida., and Miss Fanny Mulhall, daugh-ter of A. B. Mulhall of Salt Lake, were married at 7:30 o'clock last night by P. A. Simpkin, pastor of Phillips Congre-gational church. After Christmas the couple will make their home at Mackay.

Lafayette Hanchett, general manager of the Boston Consolidated, has gone to Colorado, where he will spend Christmas with his mother. Upon his return he will leave for a tour of Europe that will last about a year. In his absence the affairs of the company will be handled by Louis Cates.

With the dividend checks of the Little Bell Consolidated Mining company has been mailed a brief statement of the financial condition of the company. Ore receipts for the months of September, October and November amounted to 1,239 tons, dry weight, which were sold for \$45,985.75. It is shown that there was 331,101.46 in cash on hand after paying up all expenses to Dec. 1. The dividend amounts to \$15,000.

# SAYS COPPER WILL **GO TO FIFTEEN CENTS**

G. L. Rickard Declares Price of Red Metal Will Reach Figure by March-Ely Advancing

Copper will reach 15 cents by March, is the prediction of G. L. Rickard, a well known mining man from Ely, Nev., who has just returned from a stay Nev., who has just returned from a stay of several weeks in the east. During that time he had considerable opportunity to get acquainted with market conditions. He declares that he feels certain, according to conditions that are now developing in the east, that the red metal will shortly be back in a position that will be more gratifying to the mining fraternity.

"Mining is again coming to the front, and the coppers are the most talked-of stocks in the east," he declared. "The big interests in the east are not loading up on copper stocks for nothing. There are certainly some big things ahead in mining, and the copper camps are the first to feel the rise in the market.

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"From what I have seen in the east, I am firmly convinced that copper will be selling at 15 cents by March. There are a number of things that I do not wish to mention, that make me believe that such a change is coming.

"Everything is moving along in splendid shape at Ely. At the Ely Calumet the shaft is being straightened out and a crosscut is also being run to catch the vein which was cut on the tunnel above. The shaft is down past the 60-foot level and work there will shortly be pushed with more energy than in the past. Shortly after the first of the year there will be more activity at the Ely Calumet than ever before.

"Ely is one of the most talked of camps in the east, and there are some big plans now being made for the future of the camp. It is too far in advance to speak of them now, but what will be done there during the coming year will match up well with what has been done in the past."

GOLD OUTPUT INCREASES.

Statistics Show United States Produced

Less Silver.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The world's production of gold and silver for the calendar year 1908 is estimated by the bureau of the mint, based upon official and unofficial information, to have been as follows:
Gold, 21,378,480 fine ounces, of the value of \$441,932,200; silver, 203,-186,370 fine ounces, of the commercial value of \$10,8684,400.

Compared with 1907 there was an increase in the gold production of \$31,-376,900, and in silver an increase of 18,992,300 fine ounces. The greatest increase in the production of gold in any country of the world was in Africa, which increased from \$151,-699,600 in 1907 to \$166,520,500 in 1908. The increase in the United States was \$4,124,300. Mexico's increase was \$3,690,100.

The largest increase in the production of silver was in Mexico and amounted to 12,517,000 fine ounces.
Canada followed with an increase of 9,326,200 fine ounces.
There was a decrease in the silver production of the United States, as compared with 1907, of 4,074,000 fine ounces.

J. R. WHITNEY, Stock Broker. 334 Atlas. Bell, 1470. Res. 3004-Z.

## SALT LAKE BANK CLEARINGS.

	1909.	1908.
Dec.	20\$1,530,366.07	\$1,209,243.98
Dec.	21 1,258,889.58	1,050,186.38
Dec.	22 1,119,612.49	1,116,546.01
Dec.	23 1,125,017.73	956,470.83
Dec.	24 1,041,054.86	Holiday.
Tot	als\$6,074,940.73	\$4,332,397.3

## TODAY'S MONEY MARKET.

New York, Dec. 24.-Money on call, firm, 24,0542 per cent; ruling rate, 54, per cent; closing bid, 3 per cent, and offered at 3 per cent.

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Time loans, firm; for 60 days, 4½@
4½ per cent; for 90 days, 4½ per cent;
for six months, 4½@½ per cent.
Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@
5½ per cent.
Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.84.35@
\$4.84.45 for 60-day bills, and at \$4.87.20 for demand.
Commercial bills, \$4.84@½.
Bar silver, 52½ cents.
Mexican dollars, 44 cents,
Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

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## BARRIERS TO REDUCE LOSSES,

It is to be doubted whether there is a single instance where a strictly reinforced concrete building has been destroyed by fire, says Cement Age. Fires have taken place in several, resulting in damage to contents, but not to the buildings. Moreover, there is positive proof of the fact that they have stopped the spread of flames from within, and in several cases have served as an effectual barrier against fire extending beyond the limits of the building in which it started. If we are to accept the behavior of these buildings as proof of the value of that type of construction from the fire-resisting standpoint, a city or a district composed entirely of reinforced concrete buildings with protected openings would mean the elimination of practically all this heavy tax except that paid for protection to contents or losses therein. Even this tax would be greatly reduced if we are to judge by experience with reinforced concrete buildings, for in several instances fires in structures of that type have been confined to the room or department in which they originated. It is to be doubted whether there is

## WILL SELL

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 300 Metcalf Coal
 . 10c

 400 Sunnyside Brook Coal
 . 10c

 1,000 Consolidated Fuel
 . 40c

 85 Karns Tunnelling
 . \$1.25

 3 Acres U. Mex. Rubber
 . \$125

 3 Shares U. Mex. Capi'l Stock
 \$340

# **GAINS WERE SMALL DECLINES AFTER**

New York, Dec. 24.-Prices of the ma than last night, but the gains were small and there was a considerable mixture of declines. Kansas & Texas and Virginia-Carolina Chemical rose %.

Small amounts of stocks were offered for which there was no demand and prices receded slightly. Reading, Rock Island, and Amalgamated Copper los

prices receded slightly. Reading, Rock Island, and Amalgamated Copper lost good fractions, but the rest of the list was not affected much. Reading second preferred declined 3. The 7-point collapse in Reading second preferred after yesterday's jump, made a bad impression, When that stock railied 3½, the whole list stiffened but trading was very dull. Minneapolis & St. Louis preferred rose 2 and American Linseed preferred and Laclede Gas 1. United States Rubber declined 1.

Bonds were heavy.
The market became stronger but the bulk of the buying was in the metal stocks and specialties. Before 1 o'clock trading had fallen back again into its recent rut. Union Pacific, Rock Island, United States Steel and Amalgamated Copper gained 1. Interborough-Metropolitan preferred 1%, Western Maryland Copper gained 1. Interborough-Metropolitan preferred 1%, Western Maryland Copper gained 1. Interborough-Metropolitan preferred 1%, western Maryland in the American Agricultural Chemical 2.

Increasing firmness developed in the afternoon dealings but the improvement was most marked in the stocks that are not usually active. Pittsburg Coal preferred 2%, Anaconda 2½, and Atchison. Rock Island preferred, 'Frisco second preferred and American Smelting 1.

The market closed irregular. The Wabash stocks advanced, the common 1½ and the preferred 1 and the refunding 4 per cent bonds were active at an advance of 1½. Long Island rose 1½ and Pacillo Mail 1.

Meantime where prices had risen previously they yielded on profit-taking. Gains were wiped out in some Instances. American Malting preferred lost 1½ and Utah Copper 1.

Utah Copper 1.

### LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO.

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Chicago, Dec. 24—Cattle—Receipts, estimated at 3,000; market steady. Beeves, 4,00@4.80; Texas steers, 4,00@4.80; western steers, 4,00@6.25; stockers and feeders, 3,00@5.25; cows and heifers, 2,00@5.50; calves, 7,25@7.89.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 4,000; market 5c. higher. Light, 7,85@8.85; mused, 8,05@8.50; heavy, 8,15@8.55; rough, 8,15@8.30; good to choice heavy, 8,20@8.55; pigs, 7,00@7,20; bulk of sales, 8,15@8.40.

Sincep—Receipts, estimated at 4,000; market steady. Native, 3.50@5.00; western, 3.75@5.00; yearlings, 5.40@7.35; lambs, native, 7.25@8.25; western, 5.75@ OMAHA.

Omaha, Dec. 24.—Cattle—Recelpts, 400; market steady. Native steers, 4.00@8.00; cows and heifers, 3.00@5.25; western steers, 3.50@6.25; cows and heifers, 2.75 @4.50; canners, 2.25@6.25; stockers and feeders, 2.75@6.35; calves, 3.50@7.75; bulls, stags, etc., 2.75@4.50.

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Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; market 5@10c.
higher. Heavy, 8.15@8.25; mixed, 8.10@
8.15; light, 8.66@8.15; pigs, 6.76@7.75; bulk
of sales, 8.10@8.15.
Sheep—Receipts, 100; market steady.
Yearlings, 5.75@7.00; wethers, 4.75@5.50;
ewes, 4.00@5.25; lambs, 7.00@8.00.

KANSAS CITY.

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Kansas City, Dec. 24—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; market steady. Native steers, 5,00 G.7.50; cows and heifers, 2,50G6.25; stockers and feeders, 3.25G6.25; bulls, 3,20G4.55; calves, 3.75G8.25; western steers, 4,00G4.50; western cows, 2,75G4.25.
Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market 5c. higher. Bulk of sales, 7,95G.8.30; heavy, 8,30G8.40; packers and butchers, 8,15G8.35; light, 7,25G.8.20; pigs, 6,00G7.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 500; market steady. Muttons, 4,25G.75; lambs, 6,25G8.00; fed western wethers and yearlings, 4,50G6.90; fed western ewes, 4,25G5.25.

### WOOL. ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Dec. 24.—Wool, steady. Ter-ritory and western mediums, 24@23; fine mediums, 21@25; fine, 12@20.

## PRODUCE.

CHICAGO.

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Chicago, Dec. 24.—The market settled into a dui, dragging affair today following a mild rally at the start due to moderate covering by shorts. The market opened rather weak with prices unchanged to % lower compared with the previous close. Initial quotations on December were at 1.16 and on May at 1.11 to 1.11½. After advancing to 1.16½ December dropped back again to about the opening level. May also reacted somewhat after selling up to 1.11½. Unsettled weather in the principal corn growing states caused considerable strength in the corn market early in the session. Opening quotations were ½ to % @ ½ higher, with May at 66% Later the price of May advanced to 67%.

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Trading in oats was fairly active and the market was strong early in the day. Buying of May oats against sales of May corn was a feature. May opened unchanged to ½ higher at 45% to 45½ and advanced to 45%.

Provisions were quiet but strong. Prices at the opening were a shade to 15@ 17%c. higher.

Wheat—The market was inclined to be weak all day although the December delivery showed some firmness late in the day on covering. The price of that option sold up to 1.16%. May ranged between 1.11% % and 1.10%. The close was steady with December ¼ higher at 1.16% and May ½ lower at 1.11%.

Corn—A firm tone prevailed the entire session. At the close May was up % at 65% % %.

Close—Wheat—Dec., 1.16%; May, 1.11%; July, 1.01% 63% %.

Corn—Dec., 62%; May, 66% 6%; July, 65% 6%.

Oats—Dec., 44%; May, 45½; July, 43%;

66%@%. Oats-Dec., 41%; May, 45½; July, 43¼; Sept., 401/4.
Pork-Jan., 21.70; May, 21.821/2; July, 21.70.
Lard—Dec., 12.30; Jan., 12.40; May, 11.95;
July, 11.92½.
Ribs—Jan., 11.45@11.47½; May, 11.40;
July, 11.37½@11.40.
Rye—Cash, 79½; Dec., 77; May, 30@81.
Barley—Cash, 13@71.

Timothy-March, 3.35@4.00. BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago. Dec. 24.—Butter—Steady. Creameries, 27.0%; dairies, 25.0%). Eggs—Steady, at mark, cases included. 244,0234; receipts, 2.60; firsts, 32; prime firsts, 35. Cheese—Steady. Daisies, 164.6%; Twins, 166.0%; Young Americas, 164. Long Horns, 164.

SUGAR AND COFFEE. SUGAR AND COFFEE.

New York, Dec. 24.—Sugar, raw, weak.

Muscovdo, .89 test, 3.52; centrifugal, .96
test, 4.02; molasses sugar, .89 test, 3.77.

Refined—Quiet. Crushed, 5.65; granulated, 4.95; powdered, 5.05.
Confee-Spot steady; No. 7 Rio, 8%9%;
No. 4 Santos, 9.

### NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

8	Last sale, Friday, Dec. 24.
ı	Ampleamated Conner 88%
ı	Amalgamated Copper 88% American Beet Sugar 46%
ı	American Cotton Oll 68%
ı	American Cotton Oil 68% American Locomotive. 59%
۰	American Smelting & Refining, ex
ı	American Smerting & Renning, Ca
ı	div
ı	American Sugar Refining1121/2
ı	Anaconda Mining Co 521/2
ĸ	Atchison 1221/4
E	Atchison
ı	Baltimore & Ohio118
R	Brooklyn Rapid Transit 791/4
ĸ	Brooklyn Rapid Transit 79½ Canadian Pacific 180¾
a	Chesapeake & Ohio 86%
ø	Chicago & Northwestern, bid 181
в	Chicago Mil & St Paul
ø	Colorado Fuel & Iron 504
8	Colorado & Southern, bid 531/2
×	Delaware & Hudson186 /2
н	Denver & Rio Grande 52
1	Denver & Rio Grande pfd, ex div 841/4 Erie
ч	Erie 33%
4	Great Northern pfd
1	Great Northern Ore Ctfs 80
1	Illinois Central146%
1	Interborough-Met
1	Interborough-Met. pfd 61%
3	Louisville & Nashville, bid1551/2
1	Missouri Pacific 71½ Missouri, Kansas & Texas 48%
1	National Biscuit
4	National Lead 881/2
1	New York Central123%
1	Norfolk & Western 99
1	Northern Pacific144%
1	Pacific Mail 42
1	Pennsylvania
1	People's Gas
1	People's Gas
1	Reading
1	Rock Island Co 49%
1	Rock Island Co., pfd 921/2
ı	Southern Pacific1341/4
1	Southern Rallway 31%
1	Union Pacific
1	United States Steel pfd
1	Wabash
ı	Wabash pfd 60%
1	Western Union 76%
1	Standard Oil 666

# DEATH CLAIMS HANS HENRY PETERSEN

One of Utah's Most Gifted Musical Composers and Choristers Summoned at 74.

Hans Henry Petersen, one of Utah's most gifted musical composers, died at his home in Hyrum. Cache Co., Utah. Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909. He was born Dec. 25, 1835, in Sordrup, Gjerlev parish. Sory Amt. Sjaelland. Denmark. He was baptized a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of L. D. S., June 19, 1852. Labored as a missionary from 1857 to 1862. For two vears and eleven months he was president of the west Sjaelland district, and for two years and three months he presided over the Copenhagen branch. He came to Utah in 1862, and resided successively at Salt Lake City, Manti, and Hyrum; having resided at the latter place continuously since 1869. In all of these places Hans Henry Petersen, one of Utah's



## H. H. PETERSEN.

he organized and led choirs, to which calling he devoted much of his time, and worked up excellent choirs. He has also served as musical director of Hyrum Sabbath schools for 30 years. He composed music for upwards of 40 hymns and wrote the text for 10. He was also the composer of several important anthems, some of which have been published in the Juvenile Instructor and in eastern musical publications. He served as a member of the Hyrum school board several terms, in all 15 years, and by his efforts graded schools were introduced in Hyrum much earlier than in most rural districts in the state. He was a well informed man, self-educated and a great reader, possessing a large, well selected, private library. He showed considerable scholarship in the use of his mother tengue and for a foreigner was quite accomplished in the use of the English language.

Always faithful and punctual in his chosen calling, and devotedly attached to his music and his choir, Mr. Petersen will long be remembered for his labors in the community where he lived.

His wife, Julia Petersen, and three grown sons and a daughter survive him. Funeral services were held at the Hyrum Third ward chapel, on Monday, Dec. 20, at 12 m. A feature of this occasion was the singing of his own compositions by 40 of the former members of his own cohor, with his former assistant chorister, Mads Rasmussen, as leader. This body of singers contributed a beautiful floral offering of natural roses, carnations and lillies, representing a harp, and bearing the inscription "Our Leader." Many others decked the casket with floral designs.

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# TEX. RICKARD IS TALKING FIGHT

Promoter of Jeffries-Johnson Mill Says It Will Occur Here.

### TELLS HOW HE MADE HIS BID

Promised Record Breaking Crowd From Mines and Smelters-Will Spend Christmas Here.

"Tex" Rickard arrived in Salt Lake City from New York on the Los Angeles limited at 5 o'clock this morning, but in spite of a long, hard trip, the Ely mine and fight promoter refused to take a rest, and after breakfasting at the Wilson hotel he talked about the Jef-

fries-Johnson fight.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickard will spend Christmas and Sunday here, and will leave for Ely on Monday.

The fight is going to be held in Salt Lake City, and no place else. No other town has got a look in," said Tex, "and I am right here to say that Gleason can have no hope of switching the big scrap to 'Frisco.

"Of course, I read several newspaper dispatches while I was in the east, purporting to be opinions of local state, county and city officials, but I paid little attention to them. I want it distinctly understood right from the start that the holding of the fight here is up to the people of Salt Lake City. I have fought and bled for this place, in bringing the scrap here, and I think that the business men should do the rest.

"Certainly, I never said I would 'see' the governor. And what is more, I am not going to 'see' him. That is none of my business. Furthermore, I think that such talk is simply thrown out by

"The people in the east were knocked flat when I succeeded in pulling the big bout to Salt Lake. It knocked the sports flat. That fight will mean a sports flat. That fight will mean a whole lot to Salt Lake City. It will be one of the best things that ever happened to this town, and I believe that the big business men will agree with me. Why, the whole country is crazy over this fight. It will be the biggest event in the history of the ring. I know that two special trains are coming out from New York, and Boston also will have two more. Chicago will send a have two more. Chicago will send a big bunch, too. All along the line, I have heard nothing but good things for Salt Lake City, and lots of fellows have told me that they are eager to come out to Salt Lake City, but they think 'Frisco is too far.

### PICKS SALT PALACE.

"As a matter of fact. I don't think that our estimate of 30,000 tickets will be enough. The Salt Palace is the place. We shall make the necessary enlargements as soon as possible, and if we find from reports a few weeks before the fight that 30,000 seats won't be enough we will simply build more. "The seats will range in price from \$5 to \$50, running \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20, and \$25, then jumping to \$50 for ring-side places.

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"It seemed in New York as though everybody wanted to come out here to see this fight. One of the best known preachers there rushed up to me and shook me warmly by the hand, and said he'd give anything to see the fight. Mr. Thomas, president of the automobile company of that name, asked me to give him eight seats in exchange for a \$1,000 bill.

"Everywhere it's Salt Lake, Salt Lake, all of the time. I certainly did my best to boost this town, and I talked about Salt Lake everywhere I went in the east. The newspapers printed interviews in which I bragged about Salt Lake, and the people just ate it up. When I told 'em that there were more than 25,000 men working in the smelters and mines right around Salt Lake City, and that they made from \$4 to \$7 a day, and were good spendera, and we could fill the arena with local fans, it made 'em sit up and take notice.

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"I guess it made Los Angeles and 'Frisco pretty sick when Salt Lake got the fight, but that's over and dens with. They'll all be here to see the mill, just the same.

"When the eastern newspaper men asked me why I had swung the fight here, I told them that I did it simply because Salt Lake City is the liveliest, best city in the west today. I said that Salt Lake head the biggest boom in this part of the country, and that the people out here had the money and were good spenders. And the papers boosted Salt Lake City fine, too.
"In my opinion, the Jeffries-Johnson fight will be of inestimable value to Salt Lake City. The free advertising it will get would cost more than a million dollars if the space had to be paid for. Half a dozen magazine writers have been to me already to make arrangements for writing up the fight. That shows what intense interest is taken in the fight back east.
"The business men of Salt Lake City want to get together right away and push this fight through. It's up to the people of the town. I can't do everything alone. They told me to go to New York and get the fight, and I got it." INTEREST IS KEEN.

When asked what action he would take in the event that an organized opposition should work against holding the fight here, Rickard refused to discuss the matter, but he indicated that he did not believe such a contingency would arise.

Rickard was informed that a telegram purporting to have been sent by Jeffries had been received by Gov. Spry, stating that the fight would not be held in Salt Lake City.

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"Jeffries sald that he couldn't fight in this altitude," was the reply.

"Well, I don't think that Jeffries ever sent that telegram, at all. I think that this is some of Gleason's work. But he knows there's no hope of taking the fight away from Salt Lake City. And furthermore, I have that fight cinched, and Gleason knows it. We aren't enemies. On the contrary, we are friends. Of course, Gleason is boosting for his home town, and he will do everything he can to switch the fight to 'Frisco, but he might as well butt his head against a stone wall."

Mr. and Mrs. Rickard are stopping at the Knutsford hotel.

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